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IO FOR ASSISTANT SECRETARY MAYNES AND AILLEY; S/IL FOR BOWIE;  
PASS LABOR FOR SECRETARY MARSHALL AND ILAB

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PLAB ILO  
SUBJ: 63RD INTERNATIONAL LABOR CONFERENCE: MAINWARING TEXT  
ON ARTICLE 17

1. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF MAINWARING PROPOSAL FOR AMENDMENT OF  
ARTICLE 17 REPORTED LATER SEPTTEL. USDEL BELIEVES IT MEETS BASIC  
U.S. OBJECTIVES; TEXT MAY BE CHANGED BUT NOT SUBSTANTIALLY.

2. BEGIN TEXT:

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS CONCERNING RESOLUTIONS PROCEDURES  
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THE DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE ILO SHALL, PENDING CONSULTA-  
TIONS WITH THE OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE, PROVISIONALLY  
WITHHOLD ANY RESOLUTION WHICH CONDEMNS OR CRITICIZES A MEMBER  
STATE, OR A GROUP OF MEMBER STATES, OR A NATIONAL OR A GROUP  
OF NATIONALS THEREOF, OR A PUBLIC OR PRIVATE BODY THEREIN.

HE SHALL PREPARE A REPORT FOR THE OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE, STATING WHETHER EXISTING ILO PROCEDURES HAVE BEEN USED CONCERNING THE MATTERS REFERRED TO IN THE RESOLUTION, AND IF SO, WHAT STAGE HAS BEEN REACHED IN THE APPLICATION OF THOSE MEASURES. THE REPORT SHALL BE DESIGNED TO ASSIST THE OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE IN DECIDING WHETHER THE RESOLUTION

(A) REFERS TO A MATTER WHICH COULD HAVE BEEN RAISED IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN ESTABLISHED ILO PROCEDURE, SUCH AS THOSE PROVIDED FOR IN ARTICLE 24 TO (AND INCLUDING) 34 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THE ORGANIZATION, THE SPECIAL PROCEDURE CONCERNING INFRINGEMENTS OF TRADE UNION RIGHTS, OR THE PROCEDURE FOR THE EXAMINATION OF REQUESTS FOR SPECIAL SURVEYS ON SITUATIONS CONNECTED WITH THE ELIMINATION OF DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT;

(B) REFERS TO A MATTER WHICH HAS BEEN RAISED IN ACCORDANCE WITH ONE OF THE PROCEDURES REFERRED TO IN CLAUSE (A), BUT NOT YET FINALLY DECIDED UPON IN SUBSTANCE: PROVIDED THAT THIS IS NOT OWING TO UNDUE DELAY ON THE PART OF THE MEMBER CONCERNED;

(C) REFERS TO A MATTER WHICH HAS BEEN FINALLY DECIDED UPON IN SUBSTANCE IN ACCORDANCE WITH ONE OF THE PROCEDURES REFERRED TO IN CLAUSE (A), BUT IS IN CONTRADICTION TO THE FINDINGS CONTAINED IN THAT DECISION.

A DECISION BY THE OFFICERS TO CIRCULATE A RESOLUTION  
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WHICH CORRESPONDS WITH THE FOREGOING CRITERIA MUST BE UNANIMOUS, AND SHALL ONLY BE MADE WHEN BASED ON ADDITIONAL REASONS WHICH IN THEIR VIEW MAKE IT APPROPRIATE TO CIRCULATE THE RESOLUTION, SUCH AS A MAJOR EMERGENCY WHICH HAS ARISEN SINCE THE LAST SESSION OF THE CONFERENCE.

THE OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE SHALL INFORM THE MOVER(S) OF THE RESOLUTION OF THEIR DECISION AND OF THE REASONS THEREFORE. THEY SHALL, WHERE APPROPRIATE, GIVE THE MOVER(S) AN OPPORTUNITY TO AMEND IT TO STANDARDS OF ACCEPTABILITY.

A MEMBER OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE MAY COMPLAIN THAT AN AMENDMENT TO A RESOLUTION CONDEMNS OR CRITICIZES A MEMBER STATE. SUCH AMENDMENTS SHALL IMMEDIATELY BE REFERRED TO THE OFFICERS OF THE CONFERENCE WHO SHALL RENDER THEIR DECISION WITHIN 48 HOURS. END TEXT.SORENSEN

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